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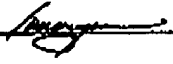
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Applicant : Sriram Haridas  
Filed : 03/26/2001  
TC/A.U. : 2157  
Examiner : SALL, EL HADJI MALICK

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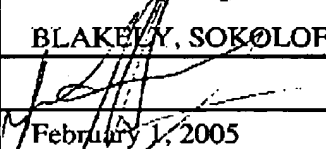
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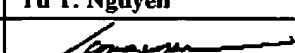
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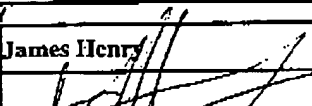
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